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REMARKS

This application has been amended in response to the office action. First, claim 1 has

been amended to include much of what was found in allowable claim 4. In particular, the claim

now recites that there are at least three lobes and at least three notches. The Swiderski, et al.

Patent cannot meet these limitations, and thus claim 1, as amended, is allowable.

Claim 10 requires that there be a plurality of lobes and a plurality of notches. The

Rankins, et al. reference does not meet these limitations. The interface between anything that

could be called an intermediate member and the knob would appear to be cylindrical. As such, it

is submitted claim 10 is allowable.

New claim 21 recites that the shape of the inner bore and the shape of the outer periphery

are distinct such that there is clearance between the two. Again, the Swiderski, et al. patent

which was utilized to originally reject claim 1, cannot meet this limitation in that the shapes are

identical in this reference.

Fees in the amount of \$200.00 are enclosed to pay for the additional independent claim.

Applicant believes that no additional fees are necessary, however, the Commissioner is authorized

to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds for any additional

fees or credit the account for any overpayment. All claims are believed allowable. An indication

of such is solicited.

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